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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is the

- ☐ patent application of
☒ continuation patent application of
☐ divisional patent application of
☐ continuation-in-part patent application of

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For: OPTIMIZATION OF IMMUNO-MODULATORY PROPERTIES OF GENETIC VACCINES

- ☒ This application claims priority from each of the following Application Nos./filing dates: 09/248,716, filed February 10, 1999; and 60/074,294, filed February 11, 1998, the disclosure(s) of which is (are) incorporated by reference.
☒ Please amend this application by deleting the first paragraph and substituting the following therefor: "This application is a continuation of US Patent Application Serial No. 09/248,716, filed February 10, 1999 and claims the benefit of US Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/074, filed February 11, 1998, which applications are incorporated herein by reference for all purposes."

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 72 page(s) of specification
☒ 7 page(s) of claims
☒ 1 page of Abstract
☒ 22 sheet(s) of ☐ formal ☒ informal drawing(s).
☐ An assignment of the invention to _____
☐ A ☐ signed ☐ unsigned Declaration & Power of Attorney
☒ A ☒ signed ☐ unsigned Declaration as filed in parent S.N. 09/248,716.
☐ A Power of Attorney by Assignee with Certificate Under 37 CFR Section 3.73(b).
☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27 ☐ is enclosed ☐ was filed in the prior application and small entity status is still proper and desired.
☐ A certified copy of a _____ application.
☒ Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 as filed 4/28/00 in S.N. 09/248,716
☐ A petition to extend time to respond in the parent application.
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